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For: OPTICALLY ANISOTROPIC)
MATERIAL, LIQUID CRYSTAL)
DISPLAY DEVICE AND)
TRIPHENYLENE COMPOUND)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-captioned patent application, kindly amend
the application as follows.